# WILLINGBORO MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY

# **Special Meeting Minutes**

# November 3, 2021

The meeting of the Willingboro Municipal Utilities Authority was held on November 3, 2021 via Zoom. Chairman Turner called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM and requested that everyone pledge allegiance to the flag. The Chairman instructed the Secretary to read the following statement:

Public notice of the meeting, pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Act, has been given by the Authority in the following manner:

A. Posting written notice on the official bulletin board of the Authority building.

B. Mailing written notice to the Municipal Clerks of Willingboro and Westampton Townships; the Secretary of the Edgewater Park Sewerage Authority and the Executive Director of the Mount Laurel Municipal Utilities Authority.

- C. Publishing a Public Notice in the Burlington County Times and Courier-Post.
- D. Directing the Secretary to enter the minutes of this meeting this public announcement.

**Roll Call:** Cmmr. Darvis Holley (Present), Cmmr. T. Wayne Scott (Absent), Cmmr. Patricia Lindsay-Harvey (Present), Cmmr. Carl Turner (Present), Cmmr. Webster Evans (Present), Alt. Cmmr. Kevin McIntosh (Present), Alt. Cmmr. James Boyer (Present)

Others attending: Diallyo Diggs, Acting Executive Director and Finance Director, Emmanuel Stuppard, Director of Operations and Maintenance, Lionel Galipot, Engineer, Solicitor, Mike Riley

## **Motion to Enter Executive Session**

Moved: Cmmr. Lindsay-Harvey

Seconded: Cmmr. Evans

**<u>Roll Call:</u>** Cmmr. Evans Yes, Cmmr. Lindsay-Harvey Yes, Cmmr. McIntosh Yes, Cmmr. Holley Yes, Cmmr. Turner Yes

## Motion to Exit Executive Session

Moved: Cmmr. Evans

Seconded: Cmmr. McIntosh

Roll Call: Cmmr. Evans Yes, Cmmr. Lindsay-Harvey Yes, Cmmr. McIntosh Yes, Cmmr. Holley Yes, Cmmr. Turner Yes

### Resolution 11-3-21-1 Appointment of Water Repair Supervisor

Moved: Cmmr. Evans

Seconded: Cmmr. McIntosh

Roll Call: Cmmr. Evans Yes, Cmmr. Lindsay-Harvey Yes, Cmmr. McIntosh Yes, Cmmr. Holley Yes, Cmmr. Turner No

#### Resolution 11-3-21-2 Water Treatment Plant Supervisor Moving up to Water Chief Operator

Moved: Cmmr. Evans

Seconded: Cmmr. McIntosh

**<u>Roll Call:</u>** Cmmr. Evans Yes, Cmmr. Lindsay-Harvey Yes, Cmmr. McIntosh Yes, Cmmr. Holley Yes, Cmmr. Turner Yes

### **Resolution 11-3-21-3 Appointment of Backhoe Operator**

Moved: Cmmr. Evans

Seconded: Cmmr. McIntosh

**<u>Roll Call:</u>** Cmmr. Evans Yes, Cmmr. Lindsay-Harvey Yes, Cmmr. McIntosh Yes, Cmmr. Holley Yes, Cmmr. Turner No

#### Motion to Table Resolution 11-3-21-4 Salary Range and to set date at November 30th meeting

Moved: Cmmr. Evans

Seconded: Cmmr. Turner

**<u>Roll Call:</u>** Cmmr. Evans Yes, Cmmr. Lindsay-Harvey No, Cmmr. McIntosh No, Cmmr. Holley Yes, Cmmr. Turner Yes

### **Comments From the Public**

Donya Jean-Baptise: The wage scale has been on the agenda since July and you are not going to make a decision on when you want to discuss it until November 30<sup>th</sup>. What is your plan and how do you plan on retaining employees if you are not willing to set fair wages for employees? Also, how do you select a Chair? What qualities do you look for in a Chair?

Cmmr. Turner: Mr. Diggs Can you answer her first question

D. Diggs: That is out of my power

M. Riley: This is for public comment. You are not required to get an answer.

#### Motion to Adjourn

Moved: Cmmr. Holley

Seconded: Cmmr. Evans

Roll Call: Cmmr. Scott Yes, Cmmr. Lindsay-Harvey Yes, Cmmr. McIntosh Yes, Cmmr. Holley Yes, Cmmr. Turner Yes